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**Dolores K. Sloviter**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1932  
Education: Temple 1953 AB; Pennsylvania 1956 LLB  
Began Service: 1979  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Academic:** Professor of Law, Temple University (1972-1979)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Dilworth, Paxson, Kalish, Kohn & Levy (1956-1969); Member, Harold E. Kohn, PA (1969-1972)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; National Association of Women Judges; Pennsylvania Women's Forum; Philadelphia Bar Association

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**Theodore A. McKee**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: SUNY (Cortland) 1969 BA; Syracuse 1975 JD  
Began Service: June 20, 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Director, Minority Recruitment and Admissions, State University of New York at Binghamton (1969-1972); Lecturer, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey (1980-1991)

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, Pennsylvania - Eastern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1977-1980); Deputy City Solicitor, Law Department, City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (1980-1983); General Counsel, Philadelphia Parking Authority, City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (1983)

**Judicial:** Judge, First Judicial District of Pennsylvania (1984-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Wolf, Block, Schorr and Solis-Cohen LLP (1975-1977)

**Current Memberships:** Barristers' Association of Philadelphia; National Bar Association; Pennsylvania Bar Association; Philadelphia Bar Association

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**Marjorie O. Rendell**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Pennsylvania 1969 BA; Villanova 1973 JD  
Began Service: November 21, 1997  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Judicial:** Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania (1994-1997); Chair, US Judicial Conference Committee on the Administration of the Bankruptcy System; Member, Third Circuit Judicial Council Executive Committee

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Duane, Morris & Heckscher (1973-1994)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; American College of Bankruptcy; The J. Willard O'Brien Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; Federal Judges Association; National Association of Women Judges; Dwight D. Opperman Institute of Judicial Administration, New York University

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**Maryanne Trump Barry**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1937  
Education: Mount Holyoke 1958 BA; Columbia 1961 MA; Hofstra 1974 JD  
Began Service: September 13, 1999  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Government:** United States Attorney, District of New Jersey, United States Department of Justice (1974-1983)

**Judicial:** District Judge, United States District Court for the District of New Jersey (1983-1999)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Association of the Federal Bar of New Jersey; New Jersey State Bar Association; The New York State Bar Association

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**Thomas L. Ambro**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
Education: Georgetown 1971 BA, 1975 JD  
Began Service: June 19, 2000  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Daniel L. Herrmann, Delaware Supreme Court (1975-1976)

**Legal Practice:** Richards, Layton & Finger, PA (1976-2000)

**Current Memberships:** Section of Business Law, American Bar Association; Section on Litigation, American Bar Association; American College of Bankruptcy; American College of Commercial Finance Lawyers, Inc

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**Julio M. Fuentes**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
Education: Southern Illinois 1971 BA; NYU 1972 MA; SUNY (Buffalo) 1975 JD; Rutgers 1993 MA  
Began Service: May 15, 2000  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Judicial:** Municipal Judge (part time), Newark Municipal Court (1978-1981); Judge, Newark Municipal Court (1981-1987); Judge, New Jersey Superior Court (1987-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Miller, Hochman, Meyerson & Schaeffer (1975-1977); Partner, Fuentes, Plant & Velazquez (1977-1981)

**Military Service:** First Lieutenant, United States Army (1966-1969); United States Army Reserve, United States Department of the Army (1969-1972)

**Chambers of Circuit Judge Julio M. Fuentes** *continued*

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Essex County Bar Association; National Hispanic Bar Association; New Jersey Hispanic Bar Association; New Jersey State Bar Association

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**D. Brooks Smith**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
Education: Franklin & Marshall 1973 BA; Dickinson 1976 JD  
Began Service: September 23, 2002  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney (part-time), Office of the District Attorney, County of Blair, Pennsylvania (1981-1984); District Attorney (part-time), Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (1983-1984)

**Judicial:** Judge, Pennsylvania Court of Common Pleas, County of Blair, Pennsylvania (1984-1988); Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania (1988-2002); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania (2001-2002)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Jubelirer, Carothers, Krier, Halpern & Smith (1976-1979); Partner, Jubelirer, Carothers, Krier, Halpern & Smith (1980-1984)

**Current Memberships:** Allegheny County Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Pennsylvania Bar Association

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**D. Michael Fisher**  
Circuit Judge

Education: Georgetown 1966 AB, 1969 JD  
Began Service: December 11, 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Staff**

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